

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )  
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Plaintiff, )  
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v. ) 2:12-CR-237-APG-(CWH)  
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PERLA RAMIREZ, )  
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Defendant. )

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**PRELIMINARY ORDER OF FORFEITURE**

This Court finds that on September 3, 2013, defendant PERLA RAMIREZ pled guilty to Count One of a Four-Count Criminal Indictment charging her with Conspiracy to Travel in Interstate Commerce in Furtherance of Racketeering Activity in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1952(a)(2) and Title 18, United States Code, Section 371. Criminal Indictment, ECF No. 1; Change of Plea Minutes, ECF No. 190; Plea Agreement, ECF No. 191.

This Court find defendant PERLA RAMIREZ agreed to the forfeiture of the property set forth in the Forfeiture Allegation of the Criminal Indictment and the Plea Agreement. Criminal Indictment, ECF No. 1; Change of Plea Minutes, ECF No. 190; Plea Agreement, ECF No. 191.

This Court finds, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(1) and (2), the United States of America has shown the requisite nexus between property set forth in the Forfeiture Allegation of the Criminal Indictment, the Plea Agreement, and the offense to which defendant PERLA RAMIREZ ...

1 pled guilty. Criminal Indictment, ECF No. 1; Change of Plea Minutes, ECF No. 190; Plea  
2 Agreement, ECF No. 191.

3 The following assets are subject to forfeiture pursuant to Title 18, United States Code,  
4 Section 924(d)(1), (2)(C), and (3)(A) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c):

- 5 1. a black Glock, Model 22, .40 caliber handgun, bearing serial number SMF592;
- 6 2. a black Springfield Armory, Model 1911, .45 caliber handgun, bearing serial  
7 number N427696; and
- 8 3. any and all ammunition (all of which constitutes “property”).

9 This Court finds the United States of America is now entitled to, and should, reduce the  
10 aforementioned property to the possession of the United States of America.

11 NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the  
12 United States of America should seize the aforementioned property.

13 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED all right, title, and interest of  
14 PERLA RAMIREZ in the aforementioned property is forfeited and is vested in the United States of  
15 America and shall be safely held by the United States of America until further order of the Court.

16 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the United States of America  
17 shall publish for at least thirty (30) consecutive days on the official internet government forfeiture  
18 website, [www.forfeiture.gov](http://www.forfeiture.gov), notice of this Order, which shall describe the forfeited property, state  
19 the time under the applicable statute when a petition contesting the forfeiture must be filed, and state  
20 the name and contact information for the government attorney to be served with the petition,  
21 pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(6) and Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(n)(2).

22 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a petition, if any, must be  
23 filed with the Clerk of the Court, 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

24 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a copy of the petition, if any,  
25 shall be served upon the Asset Forfeiture Attorney of the United States Attorney’s Office at the  
26 following address at the time of filing:

1 Michael A. Humphreys  
2 Assistant United States Attorney  
3 Daniel D. Hollingsworth  
4 Assistant United States Attorney  
5 Lloyd D. George United States Courthouse  
6 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Suite 5000  
7 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

8 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the notice described herein  
9 need not be published in the event a Declaration of Forfeiture is issued by the appropriate agency  
10 following publication of notice of seizure and intent to administratively forfeit the above-described  
11 property.

12 DATED this 5th day of September, 2013.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I, Michelle C. Lewis, Paralegal Specialist, certify that the following individuals were served with copies of the Preliminary Order of Forfeiture on September 5, 2013, by the below identified method of service:

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